

Leaders Say Future Campaign for Vote to Be Carried on in Congress Will Be Outlined.

Conference Imperative.
 "The suffrage current, both in the States and at Washington, is a strong one at present—the strongest we have ever known. The opportunity this strength affords and the consequent increasing responsibilities of the national association make necessary, in the opinion of the board, a conference of leaders from all sections of the country at the regular annual convention. This year, in particular, after the victory in Congress, where, for the first time, the Susan B. Anthony amendment was brought to a vote in the Senate and House, the board

ments so that she may attend the conference. Representatives of the four campaign States also will attend, among the others invited are: Miss Lillian Brown, of Billerica, Boston; Mrs. Winston Churchill, and Miss Martha S. Kimball, of New Hampshire; Miss M. Carey Thomas, of Bryn Mawr; Mrs. Raymond Brown, of New York; Mrs. Lillian F. Feickert, and Mrs. Minna Winkler, of New Jersey; Mrs. Frank M. Gordon, of North Carolina; Miss Jeanne Gordon, and Mrs. E. M. Kahn, of Louisiana; Mrs. Desha Breckinridge, of Kentucky; Mrs. Charles E. Elliott, of Mary-

1857. In 1869 she went to Europe to study educational principles and returned even more enthusiastic over the German system of education for the young.
Elizabeth Peabody never married, but through her life she took an active interest in the families of her two sisters. She was a friend of Nathaniel Hawthorne before he met Sophia and it was she who introduced the famous novelist to his future wife.
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Philadelphians started the first savings bank in the United States. It is still in existence.

**Mrs. Gilman Says "Home of Today
Is Permanent Check on Growth
of Humanity."**

the use of it has been observed, however, that it is not only men who are feminists. But it is only recently that feminism as a distinct doctrine, embracing three well-known and much advertised demands—"the elimination of sex," "economic independence" and "votes for women"—has become an issue of much public concern.

As to the first feminist, Aristotle has been accused of being a feminist, while to have made her debut at various periods since 400 B. C., the first "anti-suffrage" condemnation of "feminist" doctrine being contained in Aristophanes' *Parliament of Women*, written about that time. An anti-suffrage speaker recently excited

Mrs. Gilman says: "The home is as more holy than the postoffice," but nothing strikingly new or sensational is intended, of course, for the history again shows that in the earliest days of the agitation the poor old home's value was unduly discounted by suffragists. There we find the true position of the home as to woman's true position prevail as to woman's true position. The home, Womanhood is the greatest fact of her life. Wifehood and motherhood are but incidental relations."

Mrs. Gilman says: "Human beings

make appeal to sympathy, and ministers should be able to obtain large contributions for charity and philanthropy.

It is a good aspect for occupations and avocations carried on out of doors. The influences are believed to stimulate force and vitality, strength, and buoyancy. An accession of interest in sports that involve danger is predicted.

This configuration is held to be particularly advantageous for buying, selling, and transporting animals. Stock breeders of the West will benefit from such a sign during the summer months, the seers declare.

The sway is a lucky one for women who

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